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## Halton Region Small Business Centre

### Mark your calendars!

Halton Region Small Business Centre and Halton's Regional Innovation Centre - HalTech presents: Entrepreneurship Week events - November 15th - November 17th, 2011.

Entrepreneurship Week in Halton is an engaging series of seminars and events focused on all things entrepreneurial. The week of events provides learning experiences and networking opportunities that will inspire and educate you, whatever stage your business is at. Seminar topics will include communication, marketing and branding, perfecting your business pitch and mastering social media. Schedule and registration details available at [www.haltech.ca](http://www.haltech.ca)

### Upcoming Business Seminars and Programs

**Bookkeeping:** Understand bookkeeping principles and practices, financial statements, taxation, expenses and software programs.

Wed., Nov. 9 - Halton Regional Centre (6:30 – 8:30 p.m.) \$25/person

**Starting a Small Business:** A general overview of the things you will need to consider, along with resources to help you succeed. Covers structure, registrations, regulations, licences, taxes and financing options.

Wed., Nov. 16 - Burlington Central Library (6:30 - 8:30 p.m.) \$25/person

**Consultant-on-Site Program:** In partnership with the Halton Hills Public Library, a business consultant will be available to meet with small business clients at the Georgetown Branch Library on Thurs., Oct. 20. Appointments must be booked in advance. No cost.

**Marketing:** A session that highlights the importance of marketing, marketing plans and different types of promotion/marketing.

Thurs., Nov. 24 - Halton Regional Centre (6:30 – 8:30 p.m.) \$25/person

**Building a Business Plan:** Learn how to write a plan to guide your business and assist in financing.

Wed., Nov. 30 - Milton Public Library, Main Library (1 – 3 p.m.) \$25/person

**Consultant-on-Site Program:** In partnership with the Milton Public Library, a business consultant will be available to meet with small business clients at the Milton Public Library on Thurs., Dec. 1. Appointments must be booked in advance. No cost.

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Wed., Dec. 7 - Halton Regional Centre (1 – 3 p.m.) \$25/person

Registration and pre-payment for all seminars is required as seating is limited.

**Contact us for more information and registration details for these events. Join our online community. Get connected at [www.halton.ca/business](http://www.halton.ca/business).**



## Hearthside returns to the Halton Region Museum

The popular Hearthside event, an evening of entertainment, great music and superb food, will return to the Halton Region Museum on Saturday, November 26, 2011. A leader in heritage stewardship, the Museum is located in beautiful Kelso Conservation Area in Milton. The event is part of the Museum's ongoing 50th anniversary celebrations and is hosted by The Halton Museum Foundation, the Museum's independent fundraising arm. This jazz extravaganza will showcase the talents of the Vickie van Dyke Trio, James Brown, and the Chris Platt Assemblage.

Show your support for this unique Halton attraction. Learn more at [www.halton.ca/hearthside](http://www.halton.ca/hearthside) or find Halton Region Museum on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/HaltonRegionMuseum](http://www.facebook.com/HaltonRegionMuseum).



Gary Carr  
Regional Chair

### Halton Regional Meeting Schedule

Nov. 8,	9:30 a.m.	Health & Social Services Ctte.
Nov. 9,	9:30 a.m.	Planning & Public Works Ctte.
	1:30 p.m.	Admin & Finance Ctte.
Nov. 16,	9:30 a.m.	Regional Council.

Meetings can be viewed online at [www.halton.ca](http://www.halton.ca).

Please let us know as soon as possible if you will have an accessibility or accommodation need at a Halton Region hosted event or meeting.

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Fair runs Nov. 4-13

# Several local residents will compete at Royal

Halton Hills will be well represented at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto this coming week, as numerous competitors will be taking their livestock, vegetables and honey to the best of the best agricultural competitions, culminating the showing circuit year.

The Stull family from Georgetown will have five Angus beef cattle at the show with dad Rick competing in the open classes and his children Evan and Samantha in the junior beef competitions, both showing Angus junior calves. Samantha will be also showing an Angus yearling.

Also in the beef classes will be Acton residents Cody Leitch in the Junior Beef Class, showing a commercial yearling, and Ethan Totty also in the Junior Beef Class, showing an Angus calf.

Acton's Kyle Stevenson will compete in the Junior Beef Class, exhibiting his

Charolais yearling. Stevenson will also be competing in open beef show, showing three Charolais.

Kyle Ramage of Georgetown is competing in the Junior Beef Class with a Charolais calf.

In the rabbit and cavy (Guinea Pig) classes, Heather Grooms of Acton is competing with both junior and senior bucks and doe rabbits.

Rural Georgetown resident John Breckon

will be showing off his best garlic in the Horticulture class, while in the Honey and Maple Classes, Rolt Kindbom of Georgetown is competing with two bottles of his maple syrup, while Alastair Gorman also of Georgetown is competing with both white and golden liquid honey.

The Royal Winter Fair opens tomorrow (Friday, November 4) and runs through to November 13.



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